In the Claims

- 1. (Canceled)
- 2. (Canceled)
- 3. (New) A method for returning files to a user of an enterprise application, comprising the steps of:

requesting the loading of a file set comprising a list of one or more files each stored under a predetermined path and filename identified in said list;

determining if the files in the requested file set are in an archive format or a directory tree format;

creating a loading strategy based on said determination;

creating a virtual archive using the loading strategy; and

upon the execution of a save function, copying said one or more files in said file set, storing them in said virtual archive, and returning said virtual archive to said user.

4. (New) A system for returning files to a user of an enterprise application, comprising: means for requesting the loading of a file set comprising a list of one or more files each stored under a predetermined path and filename identified in said list;

means for determining if the files in the requested file set are in an archive format or a directory tree format;

means for creating a loading strategy based on said determination; means for creating a virtual archive using the loading strategy; and upon the execution of a save function, means for copying said one or more files in said file set, storing them in said virtual archive, and returning said virtual archive to said user.

5. (New) A computer program product for returning files to a user of an enterprise application, the computer program product comprising a computer-readable storage medium having computer-readable program code embodied in the medium, the computer-readable program code comprising:

computer-readable program code that requests the loading of a file set comprising a list of one or more files each stored under a predetermined path and filename identified in said list;

computer-readable program code that determines if the files in the requested file set are in an archive format or a directory tree format;

computer-readable program code that creates a loading strategy based on said determination;

computer-readable program code that creates a virtual archive using the loading strategy; and

upon the execution of a save function, computer-readable program code that copies said one or more files in said file set, storing them in said virtual archive, and returning said virtual archive to said user.